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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3923**
Hajime OGAWA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003_0866A
Serial No. 10/608,040 : Group Art Unit 2192
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COMPILER APPARATUS WITH : **Mail Stop: RCE**
FLEXIBLE OPTIMIZATION

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 28, 2008, and further to the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-referenced U.S. patent application as follows: